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Ms. Magalie Roman Salas
Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
The Portals
445 Twelfth Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: GTE Corp. and Bell Atlantic Corp., CC Docket No. 98-184

Dear Ms. Roman Salas:

This is to provide notice that GTE has filed with the Commission applications to transfer to Genuity Incorporated licenses and authorizations currently held by GTE Telecom Incorporated, GTE Intelligent Network Services, and GTE Communications Corporation. These include: a global international Section 214 authorization (File No. ITC-214-19990708-00391); cable landing licenses for the AMERICAS II cable (File No. SCL-98-003/SCL-98-003A), for the TAT-14 Cable (File No. SCL-LIC-19990303-00004), and for the Japan-U.S. cable (File No. SCL-LIC-19981117-00025); and an international Section 214 license associated with the AMERICAS II cable (File No. ITC-98-342/ITC-98-342A); and a blanket domestic Section 214 authorization.

These transfers are necessary to transfer to Genuity those businesses of GTE Telecom described in our ex parte letter of April 18, 2000, except for the line of business described in that ex parte as "Private Line Resale – Commercial and Financial Customers." That business – private line, point-to-point service to commercial and financial customers, principally brokerage houses and banks – will be transferred to one or more unaffiliated carriers before the GTE/Bell Atlantic merger closes.

Copies of the applications are attached. Please contact me if you have questions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Alan F. Ciamporcero".
for Alan F. Ciamporcero

cc: Michelle Carey, Esq.
Johanna Mikes, Esq.